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SUBJECT: NICARAGUA: HUMAN RIGHTS INDIVIDUAL VETTING REQUEST FOR U.S.-SPONSORED TRAINING: USMLGP, AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE COURSE

- 11. We request the Department's assistance in screening the following individuals who have been nominated for USG-funded training, pursuant to the Leahy Act and the Foreign Assistance Act.
- 12. The following individuals will attend the Aircraft Maintenance Course in Lackland AFB, TX, from June 15 October 15, 2009. The names are listed with the surnames first, followed by rank and DOB:

Unit: Nicaraguan Air Force

- -- Potosme Gomez, Ervin Jose, Sgt., 31 Mar 1961 -- Blanco, Mario Martin, Sgt., 01 Feb 1975 -- Arauz Luna, Wilbert Oliverio, Sgt., 19 Jul 1979 -- Diaz Ortiz, Efrain Alberto, Sgt., 17 Aug 1963
- $\underline{\mbox{\bf 13.}}$  In order to prepare for the participants' travel, we appreciate the Department's response by June 8, 2009. CALLAHAN